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S. 2742

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

July 22, 2004

Mr. Hatch (for himself and Mr. Leahy) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

September 21, 2004 Reported by Mr. Hatch, without amendment

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

1	SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY FOR THE UNITED
2	STATES SUPREME COURT POLICE TO PRO-
3	TECT COURT OFFICIALS OFF THE SUPREME
4	COURT GROUNDS.
5	Section 6121(b)(2) of title 40, United States Code,
6	is amended by striking "2004" and inserting "2008".
7	SEC. 2. VENUE FOR PROSECUTIONS RELATING TO THE
8	UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT BUILDING
9	AND GROUNDS.
10	Section 6137 of title 40, United States Code, is
11	amended by striking subsection (b) and inserting the fol-
12	lowing:
13	"(b) Venue and Procedure.—Prosecution for a
14	violation described in subsection (a) shall be in the United
15	States District Court for the District of Columbia or in
16	the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, on infor-
17	mation by the United States Attorney or an Assistant
18	United States Attorney.".
19	SEC. 3. GIFTS TO THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.
20	The Chief Justice or his designee is authorized to ac-
21	cept, hold, administer, and utilize gifts and bequests of
22	personal property for the purpose of aiding or facilitating
23	the work of the United States Supreme Court, but gifts
24	or bequests of money shall be covered into the Treasury.

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